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Application Number	To be assigned
Filing Date	
Art Unit	To be assigned
Examiner Name	To be assigned

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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PRESTRESSED, STRONG FOAM GLASS TILES

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

 is attached hereto

OR

 was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) as United States Application Number or PCT InternationalApplication Number and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

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